**MR. C. KUMARA DAS:** (*a*) He has passed the Honours Examination in Ceramics, Technical College at Stock-on-Trent (England).

He has worked as Ceramic Chemist in the following Factories:

1. John Anseley China Works, Longton Stock-on-Trent.
2. Minton Hollin China and Porcelain Works, Do.
3. Couldon Pottery Factory, Hanley Burslem.
4. French Government Pottery Factory at Severes (Paris).
5. Dr. Segar Laboratory, Berlin.

He has also worked as Assistant Professor of Ceramics in the Benares Hindu University and was in charge of the Porcelain Manufacturing concern of that University.

(*b*) He has been appointed on a salary of Bh. Rs. 600 per mensem with free quarters for a period of three years with effect from the 1st May 1936. During this period he is to train up Travancoreans in every process relating to the Ceramic Industry. His service is terminable on three months' notice by either party.

*The Trivandrum Rubber Factory.*

237. ***MR. JOSEPH VITHAYATHIL:** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) what amount they have spent on the Trivandrum Rubber Factory; and

(*b*) what amount, if any, the Government have realised from the Factory after meeting the expenses, till it was given on lease?

**MR. C. KUMARA DAS** (*a*) The expenditure up to the end of Edavam 1112 is Rs. 5,87,990.

(*b*) The receipt till the end of Edavam 1112 is Rs. 32,813.

*Viswakarmas in the Revenue Department.*

238. ***MR. N. VELU ACHARY** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Viswakarma graduate and non-graduate employees on Rs. 20 and above in the Revenue Department?

**MR. K. GEORGE** (*Land Revenue and Income Tax Commissioner*): There are 11 non-graduate employees on a pay of Rs. 20 and above from the Kammala community.

*Viswakarmas in the Registration Department.*

239. ***MR. N. VELU ACHARY:** Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Viswakarma graduate and non-graduate employees on Rs. 20 and above in the Registration Department?

**MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP:**

Graduate 1
Non-graduates 7.

*V. M. School, Warkala.*

240. ***MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI** (*Chirayinkil* cum *Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state the present strength of the Vernacular Middle School, Warkala, Chirayinkil taluk?

**DR. K. L. MOUDGILL:** 583 pupils.

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